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reported from the provinces as heretofore, but the disease has been completely stamped out in those sections in which it first made its appearance. The provinces of Rizal and Laguna are now almost entirely free from the disease. The cases are now mostly reported in the provinces of Cavite and Bulacan, and the infection in the latter province has spread considerably during the past week.

The total number of cases in the provinces to date is 1,413; deaths, 1,026. Total number of cases in the city of Manila, 248; deaths, 219. During the week bill of health for vessel bound for United States ports was issued as follows:

On December 4, 1905, the British steamship *Kaifong*, with 67 crew and 29 passengers, en route from Hongkong and Amoy to Cebu and Iloilo, was granted a supplemental bill of health after the usual quarantine and inspection prior to sailing.

#### PORTO RICO.

#### *Report from San Juan—Transactions of Service—Smallpox and measles.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon del Valle Atilas reports, through Chief Quarantine Officer King, as follows:

Transactions at this port and the 6 subports of the island during the month of November, 1905:

##### San Juan:

Bills of health issued .....	30
Vessels inspected .....	23
Vessels fumigated .....	3
Vessels held in quarantine .....	7
Persons held in quarantine detention at the quarantine station .....	3

The vessels fumigated were the American steamships *Pathfinder* and *Arkadia*, which arrived from New Orleans on November 2 and 17, respectively, and the American brig *Havilah*, from Moss Point, which arrived here on November 14, after a voyage of thirty-four days. One of the crew was taken sick with a fever just after the vessel put to sea, died a few days later, and was buried at sea. As the case seemed rather suspicious, it was deemed best to fumigate the ship and hold her in quarantine for five days thereafter, which was done. No sickness of any kind developed afterwards. The steamships *Caracas* and *Philadelphia*, from Venezuelan ports and Curaçao, and the Spanish mail steamship *Montevideo*, from Central and South American ports, were held in quarantine, but permitted to transact business under guard as usual. The German steamer *Hungaria*, which had touched at South American ports, was also held in quarantine during her stay in port.

The health of this port continues fair, but there were some cases of smallpox and measles reported during the month.

The reports from the subports show the following transactions:

Mayaguez, 14 bills of health issued and 6 vessels inspected.

Arecibo, 6 bills of health issued and 3 vessels inspected.

Humacao, 3 bills of health issued and 2 vessels inspected.

Aguadilla, 7 bills of health issued and 3 vessels inspected.

Arroyo, 3 bills of health issued and no vessels inspected.

Fajardo, 2 bills of health issued and 5 vessels inspected.

No quarantinable diseases were reported at any of the subports during the month.